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## A Successful Fair.

The Dickinson county agricultural society this year records the most successful and interesting fair ever held in the county. The exhibits were generally good, the attendance unusually large, and the receipts will pay expenses and all premiums in full and leave a balance to be expended for the improvement of the grounds. The REFLECTOR congratulates the managers, the exhibitors and the people on such a satisfactory showing.

Dickinson county is one of the best in the State, the products of her soil are not surpassed, and the intelligence, wealth and generosity of her people are above the average which obtains throughout the commonwealth. Admitting this, will it be denied that our county, if she sees fit, can build up and support the best County Fair in the State? All that is needed is for our people to take an interest in the matter; and to stimulate an interest the Association should offer liberal premiums to exhibitors and racers, and keep on adding accommodations to the grounds. All this can be done, and the REFLECTOR believes that it will be done.

## PREMIUM LIST.

## SPEED RING.

## Class No. 1—Running Race.

Entry No. 1, Nellie B. by J. J. Bradfield, 1st Prem.; Brown Charlie by Geo. Huffman, 2nd Prem.; Yankee Girl by J. W. Bradfield, 3rd Prem.; Black Billy by H. Woods, Dist. Time, 54½, 57, 57.

## Class No. 2—Match Team Race.

Lightfoot and Lucy by E. J. Warner, won 1st and 2nd Prem.; Plumwood and American Boy, by J. W. Poulter, Dist.; Enterprise Bays, by J. B. Halstead, Dist. Time, 3:30, 3:30½, 3:31½.

## Class No. 3—Gents' Driving Race.

Rose H. by D. I. Halstead, 1st and 2nd Prem.; American Boy by J. B. Halstead, Dist.; Harry by C. A. Simmers, Dist. Time 3:00.

## Class No. 4—3 Min. Race.

Lucy Lightfoot by C. A. Simmers, 1st Prem.; Lightfoot by E. J. Warner, 2nd; Bay Dick by J. B. Halstead, Dist. Time, 3:00, 3:12, 3:10½.

## Class No. 5—Running Race.

Nellie B. by J. J. Bradfield, Dist.; Brown Charlie by Geo. Huffman, 1st Prem.; Black Billy by H. Woods, 2nd. Time 2:30, 2:40.

## Class No. 5—Free-For-All.

Not filled and a society race with American Boy by J. B. Halstead, Dist.; Harry by C. A. Simmers, 1st and 2nd Prem. Time 2:54, 2:50.

## Class No. 7—Pacing Race.

Rose H. by D. I. Halstead, 1st, 2nd, 3rd Prem.; Roan Mollie by Andrew Mitchell, Dist.; Roan Billy by J. W. Poulter, Dist. Time 2:50.

## Class No. 8—Slow Race.

No entries.

## Class No. 9—2:50 Race.

American Boy by J. B. Halstead, Dist.; Charlie by D. I. Halstead, did not start; Brown Birdie, C. A. Simmers, 1st, 2nd, 3rd. Time 2:47.

## Class No. 10—Purse Race, Running.

Brown Charlie by Geo. Huffman, 1st; Roan by H. Woods, 2nd. Time 5:54.

## Class No. 11—Special Race.

Harry by C. A. Simmers, 1st; Rose H. by D. I. Halstead, 2nd. Time 2:51½, 2:52, 2:50.

## ALL OTHER DEPARTMENTS.

## Class No. 1—Draft Horses.

Match team by J. J. Cooper, 1st; Stallion 4 yrs. and over, Thos. Nichol, 1st; Stallion 4 yrs. and over, A. J. Markley, 2nd; Brood mare, J. H. Chase, 1st; Brood mare, N. Robinson, 2nd; Sucking Colt, J. Funkhouser, 1st; Sucking colt, A. K. Ruse, 2nd; Yearling Colt, O. L. Thiesler, 1st; 2 yr. old colt, J. H. Chase, 2nd.

## Class No. 2—Horses for Style and Action.

Match team, T. Isitt, 1st; Stallion 4 yrs. and over, Wann & Dryer, 1st; Stallion 4 yrs. and over, A. J. Pettit, 2nd; Brood mare, T. Isitt, 1st; Brood mare, L. J. Hitty, 2nd; 3 yr. old mare, D. R. Emery, 1st; Stallion under 4 yrs. J. M. Bradfield, 2nd; Gelding, 4 yrs. and over, John Reed, 1st; Gelding 4 yrs. and over, J. W. Houlietter, 1st; Sucking colt, L. J. Hitty, 1st; Sucking colt, A. K. Ruse, 2nd; 1 yr. horse colt, by J. H. Hooper, 1st; 1 yr. mare colt, J. H. Hooper, 1st; 1 yr. mare colt, J. Funkhouser, 2nd.

## Class No. 3—Stallions with 5 or more of progeny.

Stallion for style, J. E. Paul, 1st; Stallion for style, by A. J. Pettit, 1st.

## Class No. 4—Mules and Jacks.

Jack, Mark Baldwin, 1st; Jack, W. J. Graham, 2nd; Match mules, Nathan Blevins, 1st; Match mules, J. B. Baxter, 2nd; 1 Donkey colt, Frank Northcraft, 1st; 1 Donkey colt, Ralph Gordon, 1st; 12 yr. old mule, Nathan Blevins, 1st.

## Class No. 5—Short-Horn Cattle.

Bull 1 yr. and over, John Reed, 1st; Bull 3 yrs. old, Henry Warner, 1st; Bull, Thos. Nichol, 2nd; Bull, 2 yrs. old, O. L. Thiesler, 1st; 12 yr. old Heifer, O. L. Thiesler, 1st; 12 yr. old Heifer, John Reed, 2nd; 1 Cow, O. L. Thiesler, 1st; Cow, John Reed, 2nd; 1 yr. old Heifer, O. L. Thiesler, 1st; 1 yr. old Heifer O. L. Thiesler, 2nd; Heifer calf, 4 months, O. L. Thiesler, 1st; Heifer calf, O. L. Thiesler, 2nd; 1 Bull calf, O. L. Thiesler, 1st; 1 Bull calf, Wann & Dryer, 2nd.

## Class No. 6—Herfords.

1 Bull, 2 yrs. old, Henry & Warner, 1st; 1 Bull, 3 yrs. old, Henry & Warner, 1st.

## Class No. 7—Alderney or Jerseys.

1 Bull, 1 yr. old, E. J. Thiesler, 1st.

## Class No. 8—Grade or Cross.

1 Bull, 2 yrs. old, A. J. Pettit, 1st; 1 Bull, 2 yrs. old, C. G. Whelden, 2nd; 1 Cow, E. J. Thiesler, 1st; 1 Cow, E. J. Thiesler, 2nd; 1 Heifer calf, E. J. Thiesler, 1st; 1 Heifer calf, Thos. Nichol, 2nd; 1 Bull calf, Thos. Nichol, 1st; 1 Bull calf, E. J. Thiesler, 2nd; 1 Heifer, 2 yrs. old, E. J. Thiesler, 1st.

## Class No. 9—Oxen, Steers and Milch Cows.

1 pair 2 yrs. old Steers, O. L. Thiesler, 1st; 1 pair 2 yrs. old Steers, Thos. Nichol, 2nd; 1 pair 1 yr. old Steers, Thos. Nichol, 2nd; 1 pair 1 yr. old Steers, Thos. Nichol, 1st; 1 Milch Cow, Mrs. J. W. Birchmore, 1st; 1 pair Oxen, Nathan Blevins, 1st.

## Class No. 10—American Merino.

12 y. old Ram, Henry & Brunson, 1st; 1 yr. old Ram, Henry & Brunson, 1st; 1 Ram Lamb, Henry

& Brunson, 1st; 3 Ewes 1 yr. old, Henry & Brunson, 1st; 3 Ewes 1 yr. old, T. D. Rice, 2nd; 3 Ewes 2 yr. old, Henry & Brunson, 1st; 3 Ewes 3 yr. old, Henry & Brunson, 1st; 3 Ewes 3 yr. old, T. D. Rice, 2nd; 3 Ewe Lambs, Henry & Brunson, 1st; 3 Ewe Lambs, T. D. Rice, 2nd.

## Class No. 11—Long-Wool Sheep.

1 Ram, 2 yrs. and over, Rob't Broadfoot, 1st; 1 Ram 1 yr. and over, Rob't Broadfoot, 1st; 1 Ram 1 yr. and over, Rob't Broadfoot, 2nd; 3 Ewes, 3 yr. old, Rob't Broadfoot, 1st; 3 Ewes, 2 yr. old, Rob't Broadfoot, 1st; 3 Ewes 1 yr. old, Rob't Broadfoot, 1st; 3 Ewe Lambs, Rob't Broadfoot, 1st.

## Class No. 12—

No entries.

## Class No. 13—Berkshire Pigs.

1 Boar, 1 yr. and over, W. H. Childs, 1st; 1 Boar 1 yr. and over, Low Bros, 2nd; 1 Boar under 1 yr., Low Bros, 1st; 1 Boar, under 1 yr., Low Bros, 2d; 1 Sow 1 yr. and over, Low Bros, 1st; 1 Sow 1 yr. and over, 2nd; 1 Sow under 1 yr., Jas. Elliott, 1st; 1 Sow under 1 yr., Low Bros, 2nd; Sow and Pigs, Jas. Elliott, 1st; Sow and Pigs, Wann & Dryer, 2nd.

## Class No. 14—Poland China.

Boar under 1 yr., Wann & Dryer, 1st; Boar under 1 yr., L. J. Hitty, 2nd; Sow under 1 yr., A. N. Tolbert, 1st; Sow, under 1 yr., A. N. Tolbert, 2nd.

## Class No. 15—Sweepstakes.

Boar, Low Bros, 1st; Boar, Jas. Elliott, 2nd; Herd, Low Bros, 1st; Sow, Low Bros, 1st; Sow, A. N. Tolbert, 2nd.

## Class No. 16—Poultry.

1 pair Light Brahmas, Mrs. Jane Miller, 2nd; 1 pair Buff Cochons, D. R. Emery, 1st; 1 pair Buff Cochons, D. R. Emery, 2nd; 1 pair Plymouth Rock, D. R. Emery, 1st; 1 pair White Polish, D. R. Emery, 1st; 1 pair White Polish, D. R. Emery, 2nd; 1 pair Black-breasted Redgame, D. R. Emery, 1st; 1 pair Black-breasted Redgame, D. R. Emery, 2nd; 1 pair Patridge Cochons, W. B. Swayze, 1st; 1 pair Bronze Turkey, D. R. Emery, 1st; 1 pair Bronze Turkey, D. R. Emery, 2nd; 1 pair White Turkey, D. R. Emery, 1st; 1 pair White Turkey, D. R. Emery, 2nd; 1 pair Muscovy Ducks by D. R. Emery, 1st; 1 pair Langshan, D. R. Emery, 1st; 1 pair Langshan, D. R. Emery, 2nd.

## Class No. 17—Grain and Vegetables.

Dried Apples, Jane Miller, 1st; Dried Peaches, Jane Miller, 1st; Dried Pears, Jane Miller, 1st; 25 ears Yellow Corn, G. H. Deanezer, 1st; 25 ears Yellow Corn, Thos. Purvis, 2nd; 25 ears Mixed Corn, G. H. Deanezer, 1st; 25 ears Sweet Corn, G. H. Deanezer, 2nd; 25 ears Sweet Corn, J. W. Birchmore, 1st; Peck Onions, H. Foster, 1st; Peck Onions, A. M. Stoffer, 2nd; Red Pepper, J. W. Birchmore, 1st; Red Pepper, Chas. Young, 2nd; Popcorn, J. W. Birchmore, 1st; Popcorn, C. Young, 2nd; Victoria Rhubarb, J. W. Birchmore, 1st; Pie Plant, by A. J. Sterling, 2nd; Mangold Wurzel, J. W. Birchmore, 1st; Danville Carrots, J. W. Birchmore, 1st; Marbled Squash, J. W. Birchmore, 1st; 15 bushel Sweet Potatoes, J. E. Paul, 1st; 1 peck Sweet Potatoes, R. Miller, 2nd; White Corn, Chas. Young, 1st; White Corn, L. J. Hitty, 2nd; Egg Plants, John Urie, 1st; Egg Plants, Chas. Young, 2nd; Pumpkins, Thos. Parvis, 1st; Pumpkins, J. W. Birchmore, 2nd; Early Rose Potatoes, J. W. Birchmore, 1st; Early Rose Potatoes, C. A. W. Baker, 2nd; Sweet Pumpkins, Chas. Young, 1st; Sweet Pumpkins, Squire Barber, 2nd; Parsnips, L. J. Hitty, 1st; Parsnips, Chas. Young, 2nd; White Star Potatoes, W. H. Bonebrake, 1st; Irish Potatoes, Thos. Nichol, 2nd; Cabbage, Wm. Elsenhauer, 1st; Cabbage, Chas. Young, 2nd; Beets, R. Miller, 1st; Beets, H. Foster, 2nd; Purple Top Turnips, Chas. Young, 1st; Collection of Vegetables, R. Miller, 1st; Collection of Vegetables, E. Z. Butcher, 2nd; Tomatoes, Chas. Young, 1st; Tomatoes, Chas. Young, 2nd; Culin Queen Melon, Chas. Young, 1st; Ice-Cream Melon, Chas. Young, 2nd; Squash, Chas. Young, 2nd; White Oats, John Reed, 1st; White Oats, W. J. Graham, 2nd; Hard-ried Melon, Chas. Young, 1st; Nutmeg Melon, Chas. Young, 2nd; Carrots, L. J. Hitty, 2nd; 1 Bu. Winter Wheat, J. H. Hooper, 1st.

## Class No. 18—Flowers and Shrubs.

Best and largest display Flowers in Bloom, Mrs. H. Urie, 1st; best and largest display plants, Mrs. H. Urie, 2nd; 1 pair Boquets, R. Miller, 1st.

## Class No. 19—Fruits.

Largest and best display of Fruit, A. F. Hart, 2nd; Largest and best display of Fruit, J. M. Shephard, 1st; Variety of Pears, D. R. Gordon, 1st; Variety of Pears, J. M. Bradfield, 2nd; Variety of Peaches, J. M. Bradfield, 1st; Variety of Apples, A. F. Hart, 1st; Variety of Apples, John Reed, 2nd; Variety of fall Apples, J. M. Shephard, 1st; Variety of Fall Apples, A. F. Hart, 2nd; Variety of Plums, D. R. Gordon, 1st; Variety of Winter Apples, J. M. Shephard, 1st.

## Class No. 20—Household Manufacture.

Loaf Corn Bread, Jane Miller, 1st; Jar Pickled Peaches, Jane Miller, 1st; Jar Pickled Peaches, Mrs. J. B. Wardfield, 2nd; Jar Tomato Butter, A. M. Stoffer, 1st; Butter, Mrs. E. J. Thiesler, 1st; Loaf White Bread, Mrs. H. Urie, 1st; Loaf Brown Bread, Mrs. H. Urie, 1st; Spec. Rolls, Mrs. H. Urie, 1st; 1 doz. Jelly, Mrs. J. B. Wardfield, 1st; 1 doz. Jelly, Mrs. W. B. Swayze, 2nd; Cucumber Catchup, Mrs. J. E. Herbert, 1st; Cake, Mrs. Goldhorn, 1st; Plain Doughnuts, Mrs. J. B. Wardfield, 1st.

## Class No. 21—Home-made Fancy Work.

Sample of Flannel, Jane Miller, 1st; Sample of Flannel, Jane Miller, 2nd; Spec. of Fancy Mittens, Jane Miller, 1st; Woolen Stockings, Mrs. J. E. Herbert, 1st; Woolen Stockings, Jane Miller, 2nd; Silk Embroidery, Mrs. J. E. Herbert, 1st; Silk Quilt, Mrs. H. Hanna, 1st; Silk Quilt, Mrs. H. Hanna, 2nd; Tidy, Mrs. E. W. Olds, 1st; Spec. Applique Work, Mollie McInerney, 1st; Best Buggy Affghan, Mrs. H. Urie, 1st; Arrasene Embroidery, Mrs. C. H. Lebold, 1st; 10 yds Carpet, Mrs. D. R. Emery, 1st; 10 yds Carpets, Henry Kruse, 2nd; Silk Stockings, Mary A. Brown, 1st; Yarn Mittens, Jane Miller, 2nd; Best display of Carpets, Hazlett & Co., 1st.

## Class No. 22—Needlework.

Kensington Emb., Mrs. J. E. Herbert, 1st; Patch Work Quilt, M. C. Shano, 1st; Patchwork Quilt, A. M. Stoffer, 2nd; Table Cover, Mrs. W. A. Morton, 1st; Waxwork, Mrs. W. B. Swayze, 1st; Point Lace Collar, Miss Merial Soles, 1st; Tidy, Mrs. S. M. Gardner, 2nd; Button Rug, Mrs. J. F. Baxter, 1st; Sofa Pillows, Mrs. J. M. Hodge, 1st; Toilet Set, Mrs. P. Hawkes, 1st; Spec. Worsted Work, Henry Kruse, 1st; Knitted Quilt, Mary A. Brown, 1st; Lace Handkerchief, Estella Ball, 1st; Brown Case, Mrs. F. Ball, 1st; Macramé Lambrequin, Mrs. J. E. Bonebrake, 1st; Crochet Lambrequin, Mrs. J. E. Bonebrake, 2nd; Clothing, Simon Rothschild, 1st.

## Class No. 23, Artist Work.

Spec. copied from nature, Miss F. A. Dyer, 1st; Spec. Oil copied from nature, by Mrs. E. W. Olds,

1st; Spec. of Painting on China, Miss E. Litts, 1st; Oil Painting, J. E. Bonebrake, 1st; Oil Painting, Miss E. Litts, 2nd; Kitten Heads, Estella Ball, 1st; Dog Heads, Mrs. H. H. Hazlett, 2nd; Crayon Portrait, Lizzie Pettengill, 1st; Crayon Portrait, F. A. Dyer, 2nd; Best Player Piece, Mrs. C. H. Lebold, 1st; 1 doz. Oil Painting, Mrs. E. J. Warner, 1st; 1 Flower Piece, Miss Orleans Fisher, 1st; 1 Banner in Oil, Mrs. H. H. Hazlett, 1st; Oil Pannel Lillie, Mrs. H. H. Hazlett, 2nd; 1 Plaque, Mrs. J. E. Bonebrake, 2nd.

## Class No. 24—Farm Imp. and Machinery.

Display of Farm Imp., J. E. Bonebrake Hardware Co., 1st; Disp. Farm Imp., J. C. Davis, 2nd; Disp. Farming Machinery, J. E. B. H. Co., 1st; Salky Plow, J. E. B. H. Co., 1st; Salky Plow, J. C. Davis, 2nd; Display of Stoves, J. E. B. H. Co., 1st.

## Class No. 25—Equestrianism.

Black Horse, Sallie Gish, 1st; Brown Pony, Miss Frankie Baker.

## Special Class.

2 Organs, S. W. Pierce & Co., 1st; 2 Organs, T. F. Sewell, 2nd; 2 Sewing Machines, S. W. Pierce, 1st; Washer and Wringers, Thos. Gibbs, 1st; Water Elevator, Thos. Gibbs, 1st; Display Gents' Furnish-ing Goods, L. H. Faulkner, 1st; Disp. Gents' Fur-nish-ing Goods, S. Rothschild, 2nd.

## FAIR NOTES.

Fair weather prevailed during the fair.

A. J. Markley's Berkshires were noticeable and greatly admired.

The fair just closed was a bigger success than any of its predecessors.

Wm. Perkins' display of poultry was a successful feature of the fair.

Let every article at our next fair be labelled with the name of the owner.

The exhibit of hogs by Messrs. Low, of Solomon City, was an excellent one.

A. G. Buchanan exhibited a pair of five months old colts. They were beauties.

The fair grounds will be further improved before the next meeting of the Association.

E. Brunson's pens of merino sheep attracted a great deal of attention, and they deserved it.

Jas. Elliott had on exhibition a sow and eight young pigs, of pure Berkshire, which were beauties.

Our merchants deserve great praise for their willingness and energy in making such fine displays.

The managers of the Agricultural Society are to be congratulated on the fine displays made in all departments.

The orderly behavior of the crowd during the fair is owing more to the excellent disposition of the people than anything else.

It was a serious mistake to withhold the names of exhibitors. The name of the exhibitor should have been on every article exhibited.

The agricultural and pomological display at the fair was very fine. The older Eastern fairs might beat it in quantity, but never in quality.

There were a great many fine exhibits of stock which we wanted to mention in these notes, but the names of the exhibitors were not obtainable.

The ladies of the Lutheran church cleared something like \$350.00 at their eating stand. The patronage was very liberal, and the ladies appreciated it.

The exhibit of fine horses, colts, mules, cattle, hogs and sheep was remarkably fine this year. It is to be hoped that the interest in this direction will grow.

N. Blevins exhibited some very fine mules, among the number being a large, handsome two-year old. He also had a yoke of oxen of tremendous size and muscle.

The art and ladies fancy work department was a beauty. The display was very large and very fine, but unfortunately not a single article had the name of the owner attached.

The display of the Bonebrake Hardware Company was large and excellent. Buggies, carriages, wagons, farming implements, stoves, hardware, guns, pistols and cutlery were among the goods displayed.

At our next fair the REFLECTOR hopes to see a larger and more varied display of the products of the soil than has heretofore greeted the eyesight of the visitor. The farmers should take pride in making the agricultural display as large and fine as possible.

The displays by J. B. Case, S. J. Wright, Mrs. A. M. Geis, T. C. McInerney, Hazlett & Co., J. G. Northcraft, D. G. Smith, Sterl & Zahner, L. H. Faulkner & Co., T. E. Sewell, Hawk & Gleissner, Simon Rothschild and M. A. White & Co., were unexceptionally good and pleasing to the eye. The REFLECTOR makes no invidious distinctions because of the difficulties which surround such an undertaking. It leaves to the judges to decide and to its premium list to name the best displays.

## Public Sale.

I WILL SELL AT MY RESIDENCE, ONE AND one-half mile east of Abilene, of the Detroit road, sale to commence at ten o'clock, a.m., on

Saturday, Oct. 13, 1883,

the following described personal property to-wit: